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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170  
and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

There are many more pressing items associated with cell phone industry that should be addressed. Such as, 1) allowing the same# on more than one phone, deregulation (to do away with having to sign a 1 or 2 year contract only to find cheaper and better service 2 months later).

This proposal is nothing but a tax increase. One that comes in the middle of recession, which certainly would be opposed by Presided Bush.

This also comes at a time when our family is in dire financial straits. Our local property and school taxes have increased dramatically, employers are paying less and laying off employee's (1 Million+ jobs lost this year, and 1.4 million plus expected to be lost in 2003).

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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